

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACAT

Public Servants – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department- Sri D. Madhusudhana Rao, the then Dy. Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru Circle and Sri U. Rama Raju, the then Drafts Man, Panchayat Raj, Eluru Circle, West Godavari District present Asst. Engineer, Lingapalem - alleged irregularities of misappropriation of Public money to a tune of Rs.2,50,400/- in the office of Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru Circle, West Godavari District and for failure to discharge their official legitimate duties properly - Disciplinary proceedings initiated under Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Enquiry Officer appointed – Report Submitted – Further action dropped with a written Warning-Orders – Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTEMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 487

Dated: 22.03.2012.  
Read the following:

1. Government Memo No. 11071/Estt.II.A/ 2002- 14, Dt.26.12.2005.
2. Government Memo No. 11071/Estt.II.A/ 2002- 15, Dt.26.12.2005.
3. Written Statement of Defense of Sri U. Rama Raju, the then Drafts Man, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, Dt.18.05.2006.
4. Written Statement of Defense of Sri D. Madhusudana Rao, Dy. Executive Engineer, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, Dt.Nil.
5. G. O. Rt. No. 982, PR&RD (Vig.II) Department, Dt.28.06.2008.
6. From the ENC, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad Lr. No.Vig.II (2)/18069/02, Dt.23.11.2011.

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In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, disciplinary proceedings were initiated by framing article of charges, under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 against Sri U. Rama Raju, the then Drafts Man, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, and Sri D. Madhusudhana Rao, Deputy Executive Engineer, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, West Godavari District respectively for the alleged irregularities of misappropriation of Public money of Rs.2,50,400/- in the office of Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru Circle, West Godavari District and for failure to discharge their official legitimate duties properly.

2. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> read above the Charged Officers i.e., Sri U. Rama Raju, the then Drafts Man, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, and Sri D. Madhusudhana Rao, Deputy Executive Engineer, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, West Godavari District respectively have submitted their Written Statement of Defenses.

3. After examining the matter, Government have appointed Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru Circle as Enquiry Officer, to conduct Departmental enquiry into the Charges framed against Sri U. Rama Raju, the then Drafts Man, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, and Sri D. Madhusudana Rao, Deputy Executive Engineer, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Eluru, West Godavari District under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, and Deputy Executive Engineer, PRI, Eluru appointed as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer vide reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above.

4. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad has submitted the Enquiry Officer's Report vide reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above. The Enquiry Officer has submitted that (11) number of drafts in question were encashed by cancellation. Naturally, the fate of number remaining (29) drafts may also be presumed to be same. Such

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encashment is impossible without Cooperation / Concurrence of the concerned officers. The Superintendent is the Physical custodian of the DDs. He was holding responsible position and a senior too. The PA to Superintending Engineer, D. Madhu Sudhana Rao was to regular monitor the office work and the staff. The then Drafts Man, Sri U. Rama Raju should have informed to the higher officials about the mis happenings in the office in time.

5. The Government, after careful examination of the matter, while accepting the Enquiry Report of the Executive Engineer, PRI, Eluru, hereby decided to drop further action against Sri D. Madhu Sudhana Rao, former Deputy Executive Engineer, O/o Superintending Engineer, Eluru Circle, and Sri U. Rama Raju, former Drafts Man, present Assistant Engineer, Lingapalem, with a written warning to be more careful, in future. Accordingly, the Government hereby drop further action with a warning to be more careful in future.

6. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action, accordingly and record the warning in the service records of Sri D. Madhu Sudhana Rao, former Deputy Executive Engineer, O/o Superintending Engineer, Eluru Circle, and Sri U. Rama Raju, former Drafts Man, present Assistant Engineer, Lingapalem.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

C.R.BISWAL

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To

The Individuals **through** the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer -in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER